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PLANT QUARANTINE IMPORT RESTRICTIONS
OF THE
UNITED KINGDOM

This revised summary of the plant quarantine import restrictions of the United Kingdom, as they apply in particular to plants and plant products from the United States, has been prepared for the information of nurserymen, shippers of fresh fruit and vegetables, plant quarantine officials, and others interested in the exportation of plants and plant products to the United Kingdom.

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The information contained in this circular is believed to be correct and complete up to the time of preparation, but it is not intended to be used independently of, nor as a substitute for, the original texts of the appropriate orders, and it is not to be interpreted as legally authoritative. The original orders should be consulted for the exact texts.

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BASIC LEGISLATION

Destructive Insects and Pests Acts 1877 - 1927 (England and Wales)
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Importation of Plants Order of 1947
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The Importation of Forest Trees (Prohibition) (Northern Ireland)
Order, 1952
The Importation of Plants (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1952
The Importation of Plants (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1953
The Importation of Plants (Exemption) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1953
Importation of Forest Trees (Prohibition) Order 1952 (Great Britain)

The above Acts authorize, respectively, the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries of England and Wales; the Secretary of State for Scotland; the Ministry of Agriculture of Northern Ireland; and the Forestry Commissioners, to regulate the importation of plants and plant products. The Orders cited for the three countries set forth conditions of entry basically the same and are principally drawn to prevent introduction of the Colorado potato beetle into those countries.

The import restrictions for England and Wales, Scotland, and Northern Ireland are jointly summarized in the following paragraphs as they apply to importations from the United States; in case of differing requirements, these are noted. Separate summaries for Guernsey and Jersey are presented on pages 10 to 13.

SUMMARY

Importation Prohibited

Importations of the following plants and plant products are prohibited except under conditions of a special license issued by the appropriate Minister or Inspector of the country concerned. (See par. 5, p. 5.)

Chrysanthemum Plants (except seeds) by Scotland and Northern Ireland only. (See par. 7, p. 8.)

Forest Trees (except seeds) of the genera Castanea, Populus, Quercus and Ulmus, and the following genera of the Order of Pinaceae viz. Abies, Larix, Picea, Pinus, Pseudotsuga, Sequoia, Thuja, and Tsuga.
(See par. 12, p. 10.)

Potatoes, including potato haulms, leaves, and stems. (See par. 8, p. 8.)

Sugarbeet and Mangold (Beta vulgaris L.) (except seeds). (See par. 9, p. 8.)

Importation Restricted

Apples (except Cider Apples): Grade certificates required for importations made from July 7 to November 15. (See par. 10, p. 8.)

Cider Apples: If imported into England or Wales between April 1 and October 15 require Export Certificate containing Form C certification. (See par. 11 (c), p. 9.) If imported into Scotland or Northern Ireland require certification as follows: Form B (p. 5) certification for items authorized by General License (see list on page 7) and Form A (Colorado beetle certification).

Flower bulbs, tubers, corms, and rhizomes: Export Certificate. (See p. 3.)

Plants and Parts Thereof for Planting (except seed): Two copies of Federal certificate required, in following form: (1) Export certificate containing Form A certification (against Colorado potato beetle, P. 5) and special statement on Certificate (p. 4); or (2) the export certificate containing Form B certification (p. 5), showing appropriate General License and Ministry of the country of destination (p. 5) and also the special statement on certificate (p. 5), which certification is required for the following shipments:

- (a) Ornamental plants, as listed on pages 6-7, throughout the year;
- (b) Buds of roses and grafts of apples, pears, and rhododendrons, throughout the year (p. 7); and
- (c) Trees, shrubs or plants, with bare or balled roots, and cuttings or grafts during the period October 16 to March 31 (p. 7).

Vegetables (Fresh): If imported between April 1 and October 15, require certification as follows; Form B (p. 5) certification for items authorized by General License (see list on page 7) and Form A (Colorado beetle certification) for other vegetables, excluding mushrooms, cucumbers, marrows, and pumpkins. (See par. 11 (a), p. 9.)

Importation Unrestricted

Mushrooms, cucumbers, marrows, and pumpkins. (See Definitions, (d), p. 3.)

Seeds. (See First Schedule, p. 4.)

All fruit, except apples.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

- (Importation of Plants Orders 1947 to 1953 (England and Wales))
- (Importation of Plants (Scotland) Orders 1947 to 1953)
- (Importation of Plants (Northern Ireland) Orders, 1947 to 1953)

Definitions

1. (a) "Appropriate Minister" means, in relation to England and Wales, the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries; in relation to Scotland, the Secretary of State for Scotland; and in relation to Northern Ireland, the Minister of Agriculture for Northern Ireland.
- (b) "Inspector" means an Inspector or other officer authorized by the appropriate Minister.
- (c) "Plant" includes tree and shrub, and the fruit, seeds, tubers, bulbs, corms, rhizomes, roots, layers, cuttings, and other parts of a plant.
- (d) "Raw Vegetables" includes raw tomatoes, raw eggplants, and raw salads, but does not include potatoes, mushrooms, cucumbers, marrows, or pumpkins.
- (e) "Unhealthy" means affected with any insect, fungus, bacteria, or other vegetable or animal organisms or any agent causative of a transmissible crop disease.

Certificate Required

2. The landing in England and Wales, Scotland, or Northern Ireland of any of the plants mentioned in the First Schedule in paragraph 4 (p. 4) and of potatoes is prohibited, unless each consignment is accompanied by 2 copies of a certificate in the form prescribed in the Second Schedule in paragraph 4.
4. The inspection referred to in the certificate shall be carried out not more than 14 days prior to the date of shipment. Before the plants or potatoes are dispatched, the original of the certificate shall be mailed to The Horticulture Branch, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, London, S.W. 1; or (in case of shipments destined to Scotland or to Northern Ireland) to:

Department of Agriculture for Scotland, St. Andrews House,
Edinburgh 1; or

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland, Stormont,
Belfast, respectively.

Except in the case of consignments by mail, a copy of the prescribed certificate shall be delivered to the proper Officer of Her Majesty's Customs and Excise at the same time as and together with the entry relating to the consignment. In the case of consignments by mail, a copy of the prescribed certificate shall be affixed to each package.

Federal Certificate Required

3. In the case of any plant mentioned in the First Schedule in paragraph 4; the certificate prescribed in paragraph 2 shall be the certificate of any official duly authorized by the United States Department of Agriculture. (See Second Schedule in paragraph 4, p. 4.)

Form of Certification

4. In the case of any plants mentioned in the First Schedule in this paragraph and of potatoes, the certificate required in paragraph 2 shall include a certificate where it relates to a plant, in the Form A or the Form B set out in the Third Schedule (p. 5), as the circumstances require, and where the certificate relates to potatoes, in the said Form A. 1/ Potatoes are prohibited except under a special license (See paragraph 8, p. 8).

The above paragraph shall not apply to flower bulbs, corms, tubers, and rhizomes.

First Schedule

All living plants and parts thereof (except seeds) for planting.

Second Schedule

(Note: For the model certificate prescribed by this Schedule, Form EQ-375 should be used instead, since it is acceptable to authorities in the United Kingdom when containing additional statements shown below and in the Third Schedule, as prescribed in each case.

Special Statement on Certificate

- (a) For All Consignments Except Those Wholly Potatoes:
"It is further certified that the consignment does not contain any plants of the genera Castanea, Populus, Quercus, and Ulmus, or of the genera of the order Pinaceae, viz., Abies, Larix, Picea, Pinus, Pseudotsuga, Sequoia, Thuja, and Tsuga, or any plant of sugarbeet or mangold (Beta vulgaris L.), or any chrysanthemum plant." (For certification to England and Wales, omit "chrysanthemum plant").
- (b) For All Potatoes: "It is further certified that no case of the disease known as "wart disease" or "black scab" of potatoes (Synchytrium endobioticum) has occurred at any time on the farm or holding where the potatoes included in the consignment were grown, nor within 2 kilometers thereof. (Potatoes are prohibited except under a special license—see par. 8, p. 8.)

1/ The statement required in Form A, declaring freedom of locality of origin from the Colorado potato beetle, cannot be complied with except possibly from some California localities where the insect does not occur.

Third Schedule

Form A 1/: This is to certify that during the 12 months preceding the date of this certificate there has been no outbreak of the Colorado Beetle in (here insert the name of country) within a distance of 50 kilometers from the place where the living plants, potatoes, raw vegetables, or cider apples (strike out words not applicable) included in the package or consignment described were grown.

(Note: This certification is required for woody plants, trees, etc., imported from April 1 to October 15.)

Form B: In pursuance of the Importation of Plants (General License) Order, 1953 (see par. 5), made by the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries 2/, this is to certify that the plants or raw vegetables included in the package or consignment described have been examined and have been found to be of the following species or kind:

(Note: The Form B certification should be included on Form EQ-375 for plants admissible under General License Orders as prescribed in paragraph 5, Sections A, B, C, and D, pp. 6-7.)

Form C: This certification is required for cider apples imported into England or Wales between April 1 and October 15. (See page 13.)

Licenses

5. Notwithstanding any provisions of these Orders, any plants, potatoes, raw apples, or raw vegetables, may be landed in England or Wales (Scotland or Northern Ireland) under and in accordance with the conditions of a license issued by the appropriate Minister or by an Inspector.

The following General License Orders have been issued, authorizing the landing of the plants and raw vegetables and apples listed below during the periods mentioned:

- (a) England and Wales: The Importation of Plants (General License) Order, 1953.
- (b) Scotland: The Importation of Plants (General License) (Scotland) Order, 1953.
- (c) Northern Ireland: The Importation of Plants (Exemption) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1953
- (d) England and Wales: The Importation of Plants (General License) (Amendment) Order, 1953

1/ See Footnote, p. 4.

2/ If certification is for Scotland or Northern Ireland, substitute the appropriate Order and Department.

Provided that nothing in these General License Orders shall be deemed to permit the landing in England and Wales, Scotland, or Northern Ireland of any of the articles prohibited in paragraphs 7, 9, and 12, pp. 8 and 10.

Section A. Admissible throughout the year:

(1) Plants

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| *Acacia | Croton |
| Acalypha | Cryptanthus |
| Aglaonema | Curmeria |
| Allamanda | *Cyclamen |
| Alocasia | Dichorisandra |
| Anthurium | Dieffenbachia |
| Aphelandra | Dracaena |
| *Araceae | *Erica |
| Aquatic plants | Eugenia |
| (Ornamental) <u>1/</u> | Euonymus europaeus <u>1/</u> |
| *Aralia | *Euphorbia |
| *Araucaria | Eurya |
| Ardisia | *Ferns |
| *Aristolochia | Ficus (except <u>F. carica</u>) |
| *Asparagus | Fittonia |
| Aspidistra | Fourcroya (= Furcraea) |
| Aucuba crotonifolia <u>1/</u> | Franciscea (= Brunfelsia) |
| Azalea indica | *Fuchsia |
| Azalea legantissima | Gardenia |
| Azalea mollis <u>1/</u> | Gerbera |
| Bay Trees | Gloxinia <u>1/</u> |
| *Begonia | Haemanthus |
| Beloperone | Hedera canariensis |
| Bertolonia | Hedychium |
| Boronia | *Hibiscus |
| Bougainvillea | Hoya |
| Bromeliads | Hydrangea <u>1/</u> |
| Cacti and succulent plants | Impatiens <u>1/</u> |
| *Calceolaria | Ixora |
| *Calladium | *Jasminum |
| Camellia japonica | Kalanchoe <u>1/</u> |
| Campanula <u>1/</u> | Kennedya |
| **Carnations | *Lamprococcus |
| *Cineraria | Leca |
| Cissus | Leptospermum |
| Citrus | Maranta |
| Clerodendron | Medinilla |
| Clivia | Petrosideros |
| Coccoloba | Monstera deliciosa (= Philodendron |
| Columnea | pertusum) |
| Crassula | Musa |
| | Nepenthes |

* Except hardy species.

** Except outdoor grown.

1/ Not included in General License of Northern Ireland.

Section A. Throughout the year (Cont.)

(1) Plants (Cont.)

Nephtytis	*Phormium	Sonerila
Nerium	Phyllotaenium	Spathyphyllum
*Ophiopogon	*Plumbago	Stephanotis
Orchids	Poinsettia	Strelitzia
Palms	Pothos	Syngonium
Pandanaceae	Primula	Thunbergia
Pavonia	Rhopala (= Roupala)	Vanilla
Pelargonium	Saintpaulia <u>1/</u>	Veronica diosmaefolia
Peperomia	Sansevieria	Water Lilies
Philodendron	Schismatogolottis	Xanthosoma

*Except hardy species

(2) Buds and grafts

Buds of roses

Grafts of Apples, Pears, and Rhododendrons

(3) Cuttings

Rooted dahlia cuttings, grown under glass.

Section B. Between October 16 in any year and March 31 in the following year, inclusive:

Any Trees, Shrubs, or Plants with bare or balled roots, and 1/ cuttings or grafts.

Section C. Between April 1 and October 15, inclusive, in any year:

Raw Vegetables and Fruit

Asparagus	Pimentos
Aubergines (= eggplants)	Root vegetables (excluding potatoes)
Cider Apples	free from foliage
Green Beans	Tomatoes
Green Peas	Witloof Chicory <u>1/</u>
Onions and Shallots	

Section D. Provided that every consignment landed under the authority of the General License Order shall be accompanied:

- (a) In the case of plants, by the certificate prescribed in the Second Schedule (p. 4) and a certificate in the Form B in the Third Schedule (p. 5.)
- (b) In the case of raw vegetables, by a certificate in the Form B aforesaid (p. 5.)
- (c) In the case of cider apples into England and Wales, by a certificate in the Form C aforesaid (p. 5.)
- (d) In the case of cider apples into Scotland or Northern Ireland, by a certificate in the Form A or Form B aforesaid (p. 5.)

1/ See Footnote, p. 6.

Disposition of Shipments Landed
In Contravention of Order

6. If plants, potatoes, raw apples, or raw vegetables are landed in England or Wales (Scotland, or Northern Ireland) in contravention of these Orders, they shall be destroyed or re-exported at the expense of the importer, unless they are otherwise disposed of in accordance with the terms of a license issued by the appropriate Minister or by an Inspector.

Chrysanthemum Plants Prohibited by
Scotland and Northern Ireland

7. For the prevention of the introduction of the chrysanthemum midge (Diarthronomyia hypogaea (Loew.)), the landing in Scotland and in Northern Ireland of any chrysanthemum plant (except the seeds thereof) is hereby prohibited, except under and in accordance with the conditions of a license issued by the Secretary of State for Scotland or the Minister of Agriculture for Northern Ireland or by an Inspector.

Potatoes Prohibited

8. (a) The landing in England and Wales, Scotland, or Northern Ireland of potatoes is prohibited except under and in accordance with the conditions of a license issued by the appropriate Minister or Inspector.

(b) The transshipment in England and Wales, Scotland, or Northern Ireland of potatoes grown in the United States is prohibited except under and in accordance with the conditions of a license issued by the appropriate Minister or an Inspector.

(c) In this paragraph, "potatoes" includes potato haulms, leaves, and stalks. (See, however, 1st paragraph of para. 5, p. 5.)

Sugarbeet and Mangold Prohibited

9. To prevent the introduction of virus diseases the landing in England and Wales, Scotland, or Northern Ireland of any plant of sugarbeet or mangold (Beta vulgaris L.) (except the seeds thereof) is prohibited except under and in accordance with the conditions of a license issued by the Minister or an Inspector.

Apple (except Cider Apples) Restrictions

10. (a) The landing in England and Wales, Scotland, or Northern Ireland between July 7 and November 15 in any year of any raw apples grown in the United States is hereby prohibited unless each consignment is accompanied by a certificate of a duly authorized Inspector of the United States Department of Agriculture in the following form:

This is to certify that the raw apples included in the package or consignment described below are of one of the following grades as recognized by the Department of Agriculture of the United States of America.

"U. S. Fancy"
"U. S. No. 1"

"Extra Fancy"
"Fancy"

(Signed)
(Official Status)
(Date)

Description of Consignment

Number and Nature of Packages
Distinguishing Marks
Variety of Apples
Name and address of Consignee
Name of Vessel
Date of Shipment
Port of Shipment

(Note: The above certificate is furnished by Inspectors of the Fruit and Vegetable Branch, Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.)

(b) The required certificates shall be delivered to the proper Officer of Her Majesty's Customs and Excise at the same time as and together with the entry relating to the consignment.

Fresh Vegetable and Cider Apple
Certification Requirements

11. (a) The landing in England or Wales, Scotland or Northern Ireland between April 1 and October 15 in any one year of any raw vegetables is prohibited unless each consignment is accompanied by a certificate in the Form A (p. 5) or the Form B set out in the Third Schedule in paragraph 4 (p. 5).

(b) The landing in Scotland or Northern Ireland between April 1 and October 15 in any year of any cider apples is prohibited unless each consignment is accompanied by a certificate in the Form A (p. 5) or the Form B set out in the Third Schedule in paragraph 4 (p. 5).

(c) The landing in England or Wales between April 1 and October 15 in any year of any cider apples is prohibited, unless each consignment is accompanied by a certificate in the Form C (p. 5).

(d) The required certificate shall be delivered to the proper officer of Her Majesty's Customs and Excise at the same time as and together with the entry relating to the consignment.

Forest Trees

(Importation of Forest Trees (Prohibition) Order 1952,
Great Britain)

(Importation of Forest Trees (Prohibition) (Northern Ireland)
Order, 1952)

12. The landing in Great Britain (England and Wales, Scotland or Northern Ireland) of any living plant (including tree and shrub and the roots, layers, cuttings, and other parts of a plant except the fruit or seeds thereof) of any of the genera mentioned below is prohibited except under license:

The genus *Castanea*

The genus *Populus*

The genus *Quercus*

The genus *Ulmus*

The following genera of the order Pinaceae: *Abies*, *Larix*,
Picea, *Pinus*, *Pseudotsuga*, *Sequoia*, *Thuja*, and *Tsuga*.

CHANNEL ISLANDS

GUERNSEY

(The Plants and Potatoes Importation Ordinance, 1951)

(The Plants and Potatoes Importation (Amendment)
Ordinance, 1953)

Importation Prohibited

13. Subject to the provisions of paragraph 15, the landing or trans-shipment in this Island is hereby prohibited of the following four categories of plants:

- (a) Plants other than those set out in sections (b), (c), and (d) of this paragraph, or potatoes, unless the same are shipped directly from and have previously been landed in the United Kingdom, the Republic of Ireland, the Isle of Man, the Island of Jersey, or another Island of the Bailiwick of Guernsey;
- (b) Plants of sugarbeet or mangold (*Beta vulgaris* L.);
- (c) All species of the genus *Castanea* (Chestnut), the genus *Populus* (Poplar), the genus *Quercus* (Oak), or the genus *Ulmus* (Elm);
- (d) All species of the genera *Abies* (Silver Fir), *Larix* (Larch), *Picea* (Spruce), *Pinus* (Pine), *Pseudotsuga* (Douglas Fir), *Sequoia* (Redwoods), *Thuja* (Western red cedar, Arborvitae), or *Tsuga* (Hemlock) of the Order Pinaceae.

Importation Unrestricted

14. The importation of seeds into Guernsey, Herm, and Jethou is unrestricted.

Exception to Prohibitions

15. Notwithstanding any provision of these Ordinances, the Committee may at any time in their discretion permit the landing or transshipment, on such terms and conditions, if any, as they may impose; of any plants or potatoes and may at any time vary such conditions or revoke or vary such permission.

Definitions

16. In these Ordinances, unless the context otherwise requires—

- (a) "Committee" means the States Committee for Agriculture and Fisheries.
- (b) "This Island" includes the Islands of Herm and Jethou.
- (c) "Plant" includes trees and shrubs and the fruit, tubers, bulbs, corms, rhizomes, roots, layers, cuttings, and other parts of a plant, except the seeds, and all raw vegetables, including tomatoes but not including potatoes.
- (d) "Potato" includes potato haulms, leaves, and stalks.

Certificate Required

17. The landing or transshipment in this Island of plants or potatoes is prohibited unless the same are accompanied by a certificate signed by a duly authorized official of the Phytopathological Service of the country from which the same are imported into this Island, in such form as the Committee may from time to time prescribe.

18. Where any consignment of plants or potatoes is by these Ordinances required to be accompanied by a certificate, the Original of such certificate shall be forwarded by mail to the States Supervisor by the exporter of the consignment before the consignment is dispatched, and 2 copies of the certificate shall accompany the consignment, unless the consignment is sent by mail, in which case a copy of the certificate shall be attached to each package of the consignment.

Form of Certificate Required and General Licenses

19. In accordance with the provisions of paragraph 15 (Section 6 of The Plants and Potatoes Importation Ordinance, 1951) the Committee has made an Order and issued a General License authorizing the landing or transshipment in the Islands of Guernsey, Herm, or Jethou of consignments of the plants mentioned below (except as cited in par. 13), as follows:

Plants and Potatoes Importation Order, 1953

- A. All living plants and parts thereof (except seeds, flower bulbs, corms, tubers, or rhizomes) for planting, provided that every consignment shall be accompanied by a certificate in the required form (same as for Great Britain—see pp. 4-5).
- (a) Ornamental plants (as listed in Section A, par. 5, pp. 6-7), buds of roses, and grafts of apples, pears, and rhododendrons; and
 - (b) Trees, shrubs, or plants with bare or balled roots and cuttings or grafts landed or transshipped between October 16 and March 31 of the following year are subject to same General-License certification requirements as for Great Britain (pp. 4-5).
- B. Flower bulbs, corms, tubers, or rhizomes (subject to same certification as for Great Britain, par. 4, p. 4.)

General License (I.P.P.Gen. 2/1951) for Fruit, Vegetables, Nuts, and Cut Flowers

- (a) Apples (subject to same certification as for Great Britain, par. 10, pp. 8-9).
- (b) Cucumber, marrows, mushrooms, and pumpkins; also nuts and cut flowers (no certification required).
- (c) Fresh vegetables (root vegetables (except potatoes)) free from foliage, asparagus, eggplant, green beans, green peas, onions and shallots, pimentos, tomatoes, and witloof chicory): (Same certification as for Great Britain, p. 5).
- (d) Cider apples and raw vegetables (other than those cited in (b) and (c) above) imported from April 1 to October 15: (Same certification as for Great Britain, p. 5).

JERSEY

(Importation of Plants, Plant Seeds and Potatoes
(Jersey) Order, 1953)

Definitions

20. In this Order—

- (a) "The Committee" means the Committee of Agriculture.
- (b) "Plant" includes (1) trees and shrubs and the fruit, tubers, bulbs, corms, rhizomes, roots, layers, cuttings, and other parts of a plant, except the seeds, and (2) all raw vegetables, including raw eggplant, lettuce, onions, and tomatoes, but not including potatoes.
- (c) "Plant seeds" means ovules fertilized and matured and having an embryo within.
- (d) "Potatoes" includes potato tubers and the haulms, leaves, and stalks thereof.



Importation Prohibited

21. The landing or transshipment in the Island of any plants, potatoes, or plant seeds grown in the United States of America is prohibited (see par. 22 below).

Apple Restrictions

22. The landing in the Island between July 7 and November 15, both dates inclusive, in any year, of any raw apples grown in the United States of America, is prohibited unless in respect of each consignment thereof 3 copies of a certificate in the required form have been issued by a duly authorized inspector of the Federal Department of Agriculture if that country (same as for Great Britain, par. 10, pp. 8-9).

23. The certificates prescribed in the above paragraph shall be sent by mail before the shipments to which they relate are dispatched, as follows:

- (a) One copy to the Committee.
- (b) One copy to the importer.
- (c) One copy to the Harbor Master, St. Helier, Jersey, C. I. in respect of importations by sea or to the Airport Commandant, St. Peter, Jersey, C. I. in respect of importations by air.

FORM C CERTIFICATION

This is to certify:—

- (1) that the consignment of cider apples of which particulars are given below was grown in the district of (country):
- (2) that an intensive system of control of Colorado Beetle is in operation in the district; and
- (3) that the consignment was examined on the (date) by (name) a duly authorized Official of the Phytopathological Service and is believed by him to be free from Colorado Beetle.

(Signed)
(Official Status)
(Date)

Number and description of packages
Distinguishing marks.
Quantity.
Grown at.
Exported by
Name and address of consignee
.
Name of vessel.
Date of shipment.
Port of landing in England or Wales